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Complete if Known pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). 10/695,307 **Application Number** E TRANSMITTAI Filing Date October 28, 2003 For FY 2006 First Named Inventor Seetharaman SRIDHAR et al. **Examiner Name** Maria F. GUERRERO Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Art Unit 2822 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT 1,020.00 Attorney Docket No. TI-36658 (0025.0087) METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Check Credit Card | Money Order None · l Other (please identify): ✓ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 20-0668 Deposit Account Name: Texas Instruments For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) √ Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) Credit any overpayments under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. FEE CALCULATION (All the fees below are due upon filing or may be subject to a surcharge.) 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES **FILING FEES** SEARCH FEES **EXAMINATION FEES Small Entity Small Entity Small Entity Application Type** Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fees Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Utility 300 150 500 250 200 100 Design 200 100 100 50 130 65 Plant 200 100 300 160 150 80 Reissue 300 150 500 250 600 300 Provisional 200 100 0 0 0 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES **Small Entity** Fee Description Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) 50 25 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) 200 100 Multiple dependent claims 360 180 **Total Claims** Fee (\$) . Fee Paid (\$) Multiple Dependent Claims 20 or HP = Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20. Indep. Claims **Extra Claims** Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) -3 or HP =HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3. 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). Total Sheets Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof Fee (\$) - 100 = (round up to a whole number) x 4. OTHER FEE(\$) Fees Paid (\$) Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount) Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Three-Month Extension of Time \$1020.00 SUBMITTED BY Registration No. 42,672 Signature Telephone 703.917.0000

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Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of April 6, 2006.

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